Willingness of Germany to buy coal from India

3832. SHRI KAMAL MORARKA : Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that Germany has expressed its willingness to buy coal from India;

(b) if so, whether any agreement has been signed in this regard;

(c) if so, what are the details thereof;

(d) what is the quantity of coal which Germany has agreed to buy from India; and

(e) by when the agreement is likely to come into effect ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COAL (SHRI AJIT KUMAR PANJA) : (a) to (e) Presently coal is being exported by Coal India Ltd. only to some neighbouring countries who are traditional buyers of coal from India. No agreement has been signed by Coal India Ltd. with Germany for export of coal.

Arrears due on different SEBs

3833. SHRI MOOLCHAND MEENA: DR. SHRIKANT RAMCHANDRA JICHKAR :

Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state :

(a) what is the total amount of coal supplied to the different Electricity Boards, during 1992-93 i.e. as on 1st March, 1993.

(b) what is the total amount of arrears due on the various State Electricity Boards as on 1st March, 1993.

(c) whether interest is being charged on these dues; and

(d) what steps are being taken to recover the arrears ?

The MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COAL (SHRI AJIT KUMAR PANJA) : (a) to (d) The total quantity of coal (including middlings) supplied to Power Station from CIL sources during the period April, 1992 to February, 1993 has been of the order of 120.71 million tonnes.

The details of amount due from power utilities as on 27-2-1993 were as follows :

(Data of Provisional)
(Rs. in crores)

Name of Power Utilities	Amount
1. Andhra Pradesh State Electricity Board (APSEB)	4.02
2. Ahmedabad Electricity Co. (AEC)	25.98
3. Badarpur Thermal Power Station (BTPS)	202.56
4. Bihar State Electricity Board (BSEB)	22.71
5. Calcutta Electricity Supply Co. (CESC)	3.82
6. Damodar Valley Corporation (DVC)	232.41
7. Delhi Electricity Supply Undertaking (DESU)	40.91
8. Durgapur Project Ltd. (DPL)	75.97
9. Gujarat State Electricity Board (GEB)	154.88
10. Haryana State Electricity Board (HSEB)	106.28
11. Karnataka Power Corporation Ltd. (KPCL)	12.61
12. Madhya Pradesh Electricity Board (MPEB)	45.86
13. Maharashtra State Electricity Board (MSEB)	293.71